

RD AN No. 3632 (4274-D)
March 30, 2001

SUBJECT: Poverty Line Guidelines for Business Programs

TO: State Directors, Rural Development

ATTN: Business Programs Directors

PURPOSE:

We are issuing this Administrative Notice (AN) to notify Rural Business-Cooperative Service personnel of a change in the poverty line income figures.

COMPARISON WITH PREVIOUS AN:

This AN replaces AN No. 3524 (4274-D), dated March 21, 2000.

IMPLEMENTATION:

Effective April 15, 2001, and continuing until further notice, the poverty line referred to in RD Instruction 4274-D, section 4274.344(c)(2), and RD Instruction 1942-G, section 1942.305(b)(3)(ii)(B), is \$17,650 per year for all states except Alaska and Hawaii. The applicable poverty line is \$22,070 for Alaska and \$20,300 for Hawaii.

Current poverty line information was published by the Department of Health and Human Services in the Federal Register on February 16, 2001, at pages 10695-10697.

(Signed by William F. Hagy III)

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EXPIRATION DATE:
March 31, 2002

FILING INSTRUCTIONS:
Preceding RD Instruction 4274-D